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SUBJECT: UNGA DISARMAMENT -- FINNISH NON-PROLIFERATION RESOLUTION

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF FINNISH DRAFT RESOLUTION ON NON-
PROLIFERATION CIRCULATED INFORMALLY BY FINNS TO APPROXIMATELY
60 DELEGATIONS, ALL NPT PARTIES. REPORT ON CURRENT SITUATION
ON THIS ITEM FOLLOWS SEPTTEL.

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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,

RECOGNIZING THAT THE DANGER OF NUCLEAR WARFARE REMAINS A GRAVE THREAT TO THE SURVIVAL OF MANKIND,

CONVINCED THAT THE PREVENTION OF ANY FURTHER PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS OR OTHER NUCLEAR EXPLOSIVE DEVICES REMAINS A VITAL ELEMENT IN EFFORTS TO AVERT NUCLEAR WARFARE,

CONVINCED THAT THE PROMOTION OF THIS OBJECTIVE WILL BE FURTHERED BY MORE RAPID PROGRESS TOWARDS THE CESSATION OF THE NUCLEAR ARMS RACE AND THE INITIATION OF EFFECTIVE MEASURES OF NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT,

FURTHER CONVINCED THAT THE DISCONTINUANCE OF ALL TEST EXPLOSIONS OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS FOR ALL TIME WOULD CONSTITUTE AN IMPORTANT STEP IN THESE EFFORTS,

NOTING THAT THE TREATY ON THE NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS (NPT), TO WHICH 100 STATES ARE PARTIES, IMPLIES A BALANCE OF MUTUAL RESPONSIBILITIES AND OBLIGATIONS OF ALL STATES PARTIES TO THE TREATY, NUCLEAR WEAPON AS WELL AS NON-NUCLEAR WEAPON STATES,

RECALLING ITS RESOLUTION 2373 (XXII) OF 12 JUNE 1968, IN WHICH IT COMMENDED THE TREATY ON THE NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS, ANNEXED THERETO, AND EXPRESSED THE HOPE FOR THE WIDEST POSSIBLE ADHERENCE TO THAT TREATY,

RECALLING THAT THE STATES PARTIES TO THE TREATY ON THE NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS (NPT) MET AT GENEVA IN MAY 1975 TO REVIEW THE OPERATION OF THE TREATY WITH A VIEW TO ASSURING THAT THE PURPOSES OF THE PREAMBLE AND THE PROVISIONS OF THE TREATY WERE BEING REALIZED,

FURTHER RECALLING THE FINAL DOCUMENT OF THE REVIEW CONFERENCE WHICH CONSISTS OF THE FINAL DECLARATION AND ALL THE OTHER PROPOSALS SUBMITTED TO THE CONFERENCE WHICH FORM PART OF THIS FINAL DOCUMENT,

NOTING THAT AT THE REVIEW CONFERENCE THE STATES PARTIES TO THE CONFIDENTIAL

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TREATY REAFFIRMED THEIR STRONG COMMON INTEREST IN AVERTING THE FURTHER PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND THEIR STRONG SUPPORT FOR THE TREATY, THEIR CONTINUED DEDICATION TO ITS PRINCIPLES AND OBJECTIVES, AND THEIR COMMITMENT TO IMPLEMENT FULLY AND MORE EFFECTIVELY ITS PROVISIONS,

NOTING WITH SATISFACTION THAT UNDER THE SAID TREATY 100 STATES HAVE SOLEMNLY RENOUNCED THE POSSESSION OF AND CONTROL OVER

NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND OTHER NUCLEAR EXPLOSIVE DEVICES, AND HAVE
ACCEPTED THE PRINCIPLE OF SAFEGUARDS ON ALL THEIR PEACEFUL
NUCLEAR ACTIVITIES,

RECOGNIZING THAT THE ACCELERATED SPREAD AND DEVELOPMENT OF
PEACEFUL APPLICATIONS OF NUCLEAR ENERGY WILL, IN THE ABSENCE
OF EFFECTIVE SAFEGUARDS, CONTRIBUTE TO FURTHER PROLIFERATION
OF NUCLEAR EXPLOSIVE CAPABILITY,

RECONGIZING THE CONTINUING NECESSITY OF FULL CO-OPERATION IN THE
APPLICATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY
AGENCY (IAEA) SAFEGUARDS ON PEACEFUL NUCLEAR ACTIVITIES,

UNDERLINING THE IMPORTANT ROLE OF THE IAEA IN IMPLEMENTING
INTERNATIONAL NON-PROLIFERATION POLICIES IN CONNECTION WITH THE
PEACEFUL USES OF NUCLEAR ENERGY AND NOTING IN THIS CONTEXT THE
DOCUMENT A/C.1/31/6

RECOGNIZING THE IMPORTANCE OF THE FULLEST POSSIBLE EXCHANGE OF
SCIENTIFIC INFORMATION IN THE FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF THE
APPLICATIONS OF ATOMIC ENERGY FOR PEACEFUL PURPOSES,

NOTING WITH SATISFACTION THE PROGRESS MADE BY THE USA AND USSR
IN CONCLUDING THEIR NEGOTIATIONS FOR A THRESHOLD TEST BAN TREATY
AND A PEACEFUL NUCLEAR EXPLOSIONS TREATY, INTEGRALLY RELATED
TO IT,

STRESSING THE IMPORTANCE OF REACHING AN EFFECTIVE AGREEMENT TO
DISCONTINUE ALL TEST EXPLOSIONS OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS IN ALL
ENVIRONMENTS,

GRAVELY CONCERNED ABOUT THE SLOWNESS OF PROGRESS IN THE EFFORTS
TO ACHIEVE THE CESSATION OF NUCLEAR ARMS RACE AND TO UNDERTAKE
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EFFECTIVE MEASURES IN THE DIRECTION OF NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT

1. TAKES NOTE OF THE CONCLUSIONS OF THE FIRST REVIEW
CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES TO THE TREATY ON THE NON-
PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS;
2. EXPRESSES DEEP CONCERN ABOUT THE GRAVE THREAT TO MANKIND
POSED BY THE PROSPECT OF THE FURTHER PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR
WEAPONS OR OTHER NUCLEAR EXPLOSIVE DEVICES;
3. STRESSES THE URGENCY OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATIVE EFFORTS
IN ALL APPROPRIATE FORUMS TO PREVENT THE FURTHER PROLI-
FERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS OR OTHER NUCLEAR EXPLOSIVE
DEVICES;

4. URGENTLY CALLS FOR DETERMINED EFFORTS TO BRING ABOUT THE CESSATION OF THE NUCLEAR ARMS RACE, TO UNDERTAKE EFFECTIVE MEASURES IN THE DIRECTION OF NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT, AND TO FIND AN EARLY SOLUTION TO THE DIFFICULTIES OF REACHING AN EFFECTIVE AGREEMENT TO DISCONTINUE ALL TEST EXPLOSIONS OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS FOR ALL TIME AS A STEP TOWARDS THE REALIZATION OF THESE OBJECTIVES;

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5. EMPHASIZES IN THIS CONNECTION THE PARTICULAR RESPONSIBILITY OF THOSE NUCLEAR POWERS THAT HAVE ALREADY ACCEPTED INTERNATIONAL OBLIGATIONS WITH RESPECT TO THE CESSATION

OF THE NUCLEAR ARMS RACE AND THE DISCONTINUANCE OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS TESTS;

6. URGES ALL STATES TO TAKE EFFECTIVE STEPS TO STRENGTHEN THE SECURITY OF NON-NUCLEAR WEAPON STATES AND TO PROMOTE IN ALL APPROPRIATE FORUMS THE CONSIDERATION OF PRACTICAL MEANS TO THIS END;
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7. RECOGNIZES THAT STATES ACCEPTING EFFECTIVE NON-PROLIFERATION RESTRAINTS HAVE A RIGHT TO ENJOY FULLY THE BENEFITS OF THE PEACEFUL USES OF NUCLEAR ENERGY AND UNDERLINES THE IMPORTANCE OF INCREASED EFFORTS IN THIS FIELD PARTICULARLY FOR THE NEEDS OF THE DEVELOPING AREAS OF THE WORLD;

8. RECOGNIZES THE NECESSITY OF EFFECTIVE INTERNATIONAL SAFEGUARDS IN ORDER TO ENSURE THAT THE PEACEFUL APPLICATION OF NUCLEAR ENERGY WILL NOT LEAD TO FURTHER PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS OR OTHER NUCLEAR EXPLOSIVE DEVICES;

9. EXPRESSES ITS STRONG SUPPORT FOR ALL EFFORTS TO INCREASE THE SCOPE AND EFFECTIVENESS OF INTERNATIONAL SAFEGUARDS FOR THIS PURPOSE;

10. REQUESTS THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY, WITHIN ITS SPHERE OF COMPETENCE, TO CONTINUE ITS PRESENT EXAMINATION OF VARIOUS ASPECTS OF THE QUESTION OF NUCLEAR EXPLOSIONS FOR PEACEFUL PURPOSES AND TO REPORT ON THE PROGRESS OF ITS EXAMINATION TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ITS THIRTY-SECOND SESSION.

11. REQUESTS FURTHER THE CONFERENCE OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISARMAMENT TO KEEP UNDER REVIEW THE ARMS CONTROL IMPLICATIONS OF NUCLEAR EXPLOSIONS FOR PEACEFUL PURPOSES IN THE CONTEXT OF ITS CONSIDERATION OF THE ELABORATION OF A COMPREHENSIVE TEST BAN TREATY;

12. REQUESTS THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY TO ACCORD HIGH PRIORITY TO ITS PROGRAMME OF WORK IN THE NON-PROLIFERATION AREA, INCLUDING ITS EFFORTS IN FACILITATING PEACEFUL NUCLEAR COOPERATION AND STRENGTHENING SAFEGUARDS ON A COMPREHENSIVE BASIS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OVER-ALL RESPONSIBILITY OF THE AGENCY AS DEFINED IN ITS STATUTE TO PROMOTE PEACEFUL APPLICATIONS OF NUCLEAR ENERGY, IN SUCH A WAY AS TO FURTHER NO MILITARY PURPOSE;

13. REQUESTS FURTHER THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY TO CONTINUE ITS STUDIES ON THE QUESTIONS OF MULTINATIONAL FUEL

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CYCLE CENTERS AND AN INTERNATIONAL REGIME FOR PLUTONIUM STORAGE AS EFFECTIVE MEANS TO PROMOTE THE INTERESTS OF THE NON-PROLIFERATION REGIME;

14. REITERATES THE HOPE THAT STATES THAT AS YET HAVE NOT ADHERED TO THE TREATY ON THE NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS WILL DECIDE THAT THEIR OWN SECURITY INTERESTS AND THE INTEREST OF INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY WHICH IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS IS ONE OF THE MAIN PURPOSES OF THE ORGANIZATION, WOULD BEST BE SERVED BY THEIR DOING SO AT AN EARLY DATE;

15. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING ITEM IN THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA OF ITS THIRTY-THIRD SESSION:
"IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CONCLUSIONS OF THE FIRST REVIEW CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES TO THE TREATY ON NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND ESTABLISHMENT OF A PREPARATORY COMMITTEE FOR THE SECOND CONFERENCE". END TEXT
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